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Application for Research Grant  
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4. Short title of study:

The "Chronic Nicotine State" and Anxiety: A Behavioral and Electroencephalographic Analysis of Induced and Spontaneous Hyper-activation in Rats.

5. Proposed starting date: January 1, 1975

6. Estimated time to complete: One year

7. Brief description of specific research aims:

Because the present application represents the logical continuation of a line of research which has been developed in our laboratory with the aid of support from The Council, it might be useful to review some of the general considerations underlying our studies and the specific experimental goals already achieved which have led us to our current state and have suggested the paths which we would like to pursue. This background will be brief but a more detailed description may be found in the attached "Progress Report".

Electroencephalographic studies with rabbits and rats in our laboratory have indicated that chronic nicotine treatment results in changes in cortical-limbic-reticular formation relationships which might well modify an organism's functional state particularly in terms of the level and nature of arousal (Bhattacharya and Goldstein, Neuropharmacol. 9: 109-118, 1970 and Nelsen, Pelley, and Goldstein, Res. Comm. Chem. Pathol. and Pharmacol. 5: 694-704, 1973). The mesencephalic reticular activating system has long been implicated in the control of arousal. It has been demonstrated repeatedly that electrical stimulation of the mesencephalic reticular formation can produce cortical EEG activation and also, behavioral

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activation, for example, the awakening of a sleeping or sedated animal. In fact, we have in this laboratory recently demonstrated this phenomenon as is described in the attached "Progress Report". However, it is apparent that the reticular formation (RF) is not unique in its capacity to induce and maintain arousal. First, the EEG state of sleep which follows mid-collicular section is not necessarily permanent. Batsel (Electroencephal. Clin. Neurophysiol. 12: 421-430, 1960) and Villablance (Electroencephal. Clin. Neurophysiol. 19: 576-586, 1965) have described patterns of spontaneous EEG arousal followed by alternating states of sleep and wakefulness emerging 10 to 15 days after such surgical lesioning. Further, studies have shown that electrical stimulation of portions of the limbic system, particularly the amygdaloid nucleus and hippocampus can produce cortical EEG activation even in "cerveau isole" preparations (Carli, et al., Arch. Ital. Biol. 103: 725-750, 1965). This implies that arousal may be mediated by structures other than the reticular activating system, specifically limbic structures.

It has been suggested that the arousal mediated by the RF is non-specific or generalized in nature while that mediated by the limbic system allows for more selectively motivated or goal-directed behaviors and, further, that the RF and limbic systems are mutually inhibitory (Routtenberg, Psychol. Rev. 75: 51-80, 1968). The EEG studies conducted in our laboratory have indicated that chronic nicotine treatment induces a state of heightened limbic arousal or relatively greater limbic influence and lesser RF influence in the production of cortical activation (Bhattacharya and Goldstein; Nelsen, Pelley and Goldstein). From this finding, it was predicted that such a chronic nicotine state would be beneficial for performance of behaviors requiring focused attention or arousal and discrete goal-directed responses. Direct behavioral testing of this prediction confirmed that chronic nicotine treatment did improve performance of a visual attention task by rats (Nelsen and Goldstein, Psychopharmacologia 26: 347-360, 1972).

At appropriate current levels, delivery of short trains of electrical current to the RF disrupts on-going conditioned behavior presumably because the induced state is one of generalized over-arousal. If the RF and limbic system are mutually inhibitory, then one could hypothesize that the over-arousal or hyper-stimulated state resulting from increased RF activation could be counter-acted by increased limbic activation. In a preliminary study described at length in the "Progress Report", we have tested this hypothesis and found that nicotine was efficacious as an antagonist of the behavioral disruption resulting from RF stimulation. In effect, nicotine is capable of protecting (putatively, by increasing the level of limbic arousal) against an induced state of generalized, unfocused disruptive arousal (which might be considered an animal analog of anxiety) resulting from RF over-arousal. We are presently investigating nicotine's block of RF over-drive in an

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experimental situation which allows the simultaneous measurement of EEG activity and behavior on the visual attention task under conditions of RF electrical stimulation. Arrival at this stage of methodological sophistication has resulted from intensive efforts expended toward the development of appropriate technics and the acquisition of the required instrumentation. Reviewed in the "Progress Report" are the methodological advances made with the aid of past Council support. Important is the fact that we are now capable of characterizing more directly the affects of nicotine on the brain electrical events associated with arousal and with the acquisition and performance of behavioral tasks.

Our present research aims relate directly to the line of investigation reviewed. An underlying aim is to utilize animal models for the purpose of exploring some of the features of chronic nicotine administration which for ethical or procedural reasons, cannot be done effectively in humans. Our results, thus far, indicate that chronic nicotine treatment induces a central state which is optimal for carrying out specific learned, goal-directed behaviors. The recent data suggest that nicotine can protect from the behavioral disruption of electrically-induced RF over-drive. The obvious extension presents itself. The hypothesis is that chronic nicotine treatment should ameliorate the behavioral disruption resulting from spontaneous states of RF over-activation. We propose to test for the consequences of chronic nicotine administration and withdrawal in rats separated into low anxiety and high anxiety or emotionality categories on the basis of baseline behavioral measures. If rats classified as highly anxious are in that state because of relative RF predominance in the control of arousal, then chronic treatment with nicotine should render them less sensitive to stress; i.e., they should be less susceptible to behavioral breakdown in anxiety-provoking situations than highly anxious rats not treated with nicotine. We propose to compare the relative effectiveness of the expected protection from behavioral disruption in rats with constitutionally different spontaneous arousal levels and to characterize the cortical and sub-cortical electroencephalographic indices of their functional states.

It has been suggested that withdrawal from the chronic nicotine state (cessation of habitual smoking in humans) is of itself stressful. One would predict that withdrawal would be far more traumatic for subjects constitutionally more anxious or emotional than for less anxious subjects. We propose to quantify the behavioral and electrophysiological consequences of withdrawal from the chronic nicotine state. Of particular interest will be indications of behaviors which might be interpreted as compensatory following cessation of nicotine. Specifically, by methods described in "Item 9", we intend to investigate differences in food consumption (body weight alterations) and spontaneous preferences for alcohol between the high and low anxiety animals during the withdrawal phase.

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DAYS	Testing and classification of all subjects into high and low amplitude categories							
	PHASE				HI ANXIETY		LO ANXIETY	
	TEST				SALINE	NICOTINE	SALINE	NICOTINE
1	TREATMENT I							
7								
8	CONTROL				X	X	X	X
9	STRESS (CAT)				X	X	X	X
10								
11	CONTROL				X	X	X	X
12	STRESS (AUD. STIM)				X	X	X	X
13								
14								
15	CONTROL				X	X	X	X
16	STRESS (FOOT SHOCK)				X	X	X	X
17								
18	CONTROL				X	X	X	X
19	STRESS (RFS)				X	X	X	X
1	WITHDRAWAL I				X	X	X	X
2	(BODY WT.)				X	X	X	X
3	(MONITORING)							
4	CONTROL				X	X	X	X
5	STRESS				X	X	X	X
6								
7								
8	CONTROL				X	X	X	X
9	CONTROL				X	X	X	X
10								
11	CONTROL				X	X	X	X
12	STRESS				X	X	X	X
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DAYS	PHASE	TEST	H <sub>1</sub> ANXIETY		L <sub>1</sub> ANXIETY	
			Nicotin	Saliv	Nicotin	Saliv
1	TREATMENT II					
7						
8		Repeat test	x	x	x	x
9		Schedule run	x	x	x	x
10		for TREATMENT				
11		PHASE I	x	x	x	x
12			x	x	x	x
13						
14						
15			x	x	x	x
16			x	x	x	x
17						
18			x	x	x	x
19			x	x	x	x
1	WITHDRAWAL II	Repeat test	x	x	x	x
2	(ETANAL)	schedule run	x	x	x	x
3	PREFERENCE	for WITHDRAWAL				
4		PHASE I	x	x	x	x
5			x	x	x	x
6						
7						
8			x	x	x	x
9			x	x	x	x
10						
11			x	x	x	x
12			x	x	x	x

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The state of arousal, its level and/or nature, is a critical feature in determining the direction and effectiveness of behavior. Chronic nicotine treatment produces shifts in the balance between reticular formational and limbic influences on arousal, yielding a state of enhanced "motivational (limbic) arousal" and reduced "drive (reticular) arousal". This brain functional state is the appropriate one for engaging in focused, goal-directed behavior. Chronic nicotine treatment should counter-act the behaviorally disruptive effects of induced and spontaneous states of reticular over-arousal.

## 9. Details of experimental design and procedures (append extra pages as necessary)

The experimental procedures which are followed for the preparation of animals with chronic recording and stimulating electrodes, for recording and analysing brain electrical activity, for stimulating discrete brain areas, and for training and testing animals on the visual attention task have been described in previous proposals to The Council. These procedures are included in the attached "Progress Report" and will not be repeated here. However, there are two procedural conventions which we have adopted in past studies of nicotine in the rat and which will be incorporated in future studies. The first concerns the choice of an appropriate dose level. Our studies have always been aimed at investigating behavioral and electrophysiological effects of nicotine which might relate to and, in fact we would hope, lead to a better understanding of the mechanisms of arousal and of the motivations accounting for the widespread self-administration of nicotine by humans. Accordingly, we have chosen dose levels which are considered behavioral (not toxicological) and which co-respond to levels attained when nicotine is self-administered by smokers. The second convention is really related to the first, because it involves the dosage regime and testing schedule. Humans smoke chronically, so that it seems most reasonable that electrophysiological and behavioral information collected in subhuman species will be most meaningful for extrapolation if the chronic, not the acute effects of nicotine are the focus. Further, it has been clearly demonstrated by studies in this laboratory that the effects of acute nicotine administration are very different from those of chronic administration both in terms of behavioral and electroencephalographic responses. Some of these differences and the explicit importance of an awareness of them are described in the attached manuscript of a paper presented at the 1974 meeting of the Behavioral Pharmacology Society. The point is that our studies are designed to elucidate chronic treatment effects.

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It has been demonstrated that high and low emotionality strains of rats will respond differentially to treatment with various psycho-active drugs (e.g., Gupta and Holland, *Neuropharmacology* 11: 31-38, 1972). Further, within a strain which has not been specially bred for emotionality levels,



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it is possible to separate out more highly emotional or anxious animals from low anxiety animals. These subgroups respond differentially to drugs according to behavioral measures. Recently, a method of classifying rats as having high emotionality or low emotionality according to their initiation of consummatory behavior in an open field has been described (Mollenauer, Plotnik and Snyder, Pharmacology, Biochemistry and Behavior 1: 509-514, 1973). This test situation seems to be eminently appropriate for exploring some of the effects of nicotine which should be characterized. Briefly, rats are food deprived for 23 hours before being tested in a circular arena which is marked off in concentric circles and spokes. In the center of the area is a mesh cylinder which can serve as a cat enclosure for stress tests. Four drinking cups are placed, equally spaced, five cm. away from the central mesh enclosure. These cups contain a 32% sucrose solution. Rats are classified for their constitutional level of emotionality according to their readiness to approach and to consume the sweetened water. A pilot study will be run in our laboratory, but other investigators have found it effective to label rats which have not initiated drinking before the fifth testing day (5 minute tests each day) as high emotionals and those which have initiated drinking as low emotionals. The measures which serve as indices of relative levels of anxiety are: (1) cumulative drinking time; (2) approach or cumulative time with the two front feet in the concentric circle nearest the central enclosure; (3) total number of lines crossed; and (4) freezing or cumulative time spent rigidly immobile.

With continued training, differences between groups tend to "wash out", but when exposed to stress or anxiety-provoking stimuli in the test arena, the high anxiety and low anxiety group differences re-emerge. We intend to use this behavioral situation to test for the possible protection provided by chronic nicotine against disruption produced by stressful stimuli and to index the effects of nicotine withdrawal on high and low anxiety subjects. Approximately 50 Holtzman, Sprague-Dawley male rats will be trained and classified as high or low anxiety subjects according to the procedure described above. Members of these two groups will be divided randomly into two subgroups. One of each of the pairs of subgroups will receive chronic nicotine treatment (100 ug/kg, t.i.d., s.c.) and the other chronic saline treatment. The solutions will be coded so that the experimenters will be "blind" insofar as which treatment a subject is receiving. Rats will be maintained on the chronic injection schedule for seven days to insure the development of the chronic nicotine state. Animals will be tested four days a week according to the schedule outlined on the attached table (Treatment Phase I). In each case, a "control test" day will precede a "stress test" day. Rats will be subjected to four types of stress in order to assess the protective efficacy of nicotine as it relates to constitutional or baseline levels of anxiety.

These are:

1. Presence of a cat in the screened core of the experimental apparatus.

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2. Aversive auditory stimulation emanating from the screened core of the arena.
3. A short course of unavoidable foot-shock administered in a separate chamber, three minutes before testing in the experimental arena.
4. Reticular formation stimulation delivered to subgroups which will be specially prepared with chronic recording and stimulating electrodes in the brain.

At this point, the injection schedule will be terminated and the Withdrawal Phase I initiated. This phase will be carried out for two weeks. Four test sessions will be conducted each week, three of them control sessions and one, a stress test session. During the period of withdrawal, careful monitoring of body weights will be done. The animals must be partially food deprived to be motivated to drink in the experimental field (23 hours of food deprivation), but a major focus of attention during this phase will be differences in food consumption during the hour of free access to food and water immediately following the test session. In order to discriminate any changes in eating patterns, each animal will be weighed immediately before testing, tested, given free access to food and water for one hour, and then weighed again. Following Withdrawal Phase I, Treatment Phase II will begin. The same treatment and testing schedule followed in the first treatment phase will be repeated, this time with the groups "crossed-over" so that each animal will receive the treatment it had not received during Treatment Phase I. Withdrawal Phase II will follow, during which monitoring of body weights will be done, but additionally, testing will be conducted to discriminate whether differential development of spontaneous ethyl alcohol drinking behavior will be exhibited between treatment and anxiety-level groups.

We are currently investigating the most effective technics to measure tendencies toward spontaneous alcohol consumption and are fortunate in having available the advice of workers at the Center for Alcohol Studies which is located on the same campus as is the Rutgers Medical School.

An important feature of this proposed study is that electroencephalographic measures will be made on certain surgically prepared members of the experimental groups. Because of the logistical prohibitions involved in preparing with chronic brain electrodes and recording from 50 animals, twelve will be chosen out and monitored for electrophysiological effects during the study. Methodological developments in our laboratory (see Progress Report) will allow us to carry out such recording and to further characterize the central nervous system mechanisms operating under conditions of high and low anxiety and the modifications which nicotine provides insofar as these central mechanisms and behavior are concerned.

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10. Space and facilities available (when elsewhere than item 2 indicates, state location):

The laboratory unit is comprized of four specially designed rooms, two of which are 10.5' x 16.5' and two, 9' x 10'. There are also three offices, 10.5' x 12.5'. One of the larger rooms is equipped for behavioral experimentation and the other electroencephalographic recording.

Animal care and maintenance is provided on a per diem basis at the Vivarium of the Rutgers Medical School. A full-time veterinarian supervises the facility.

A Model 1766 Monroe Desk Computer is available for much of the data analysis required for this project. Further, services of the Rutgers University computer are available via a terminal maintained in our building.

11. Additional facilities required: None

12. Biographical sketches of investigator(s) and other professional personnel (append): See attached

13. Publications: (five most recent and pertinent of investigator(s); append list, and provide reprints if available).  
See attached. Significant reprints are enclosed. More copies of the "review chapter" will be sent when available.

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## 14. First year budget:

A. Salaries (give names or state "to be recruited")  
 Professional (give % time of investigator(s)  
 even if no salary requested)

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% time

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Sub-Total for A

B. Consumable supplies (by major categories)

Chart and Printer tapes  
 Animals (purchase and care)  
 Chemicals, drugs and electrode equipment

500.00  
 1,050.00  
 600.00

2,150.00

Sub-Total for B

C. Other expenses (itemize)

Travel  
 Publication costs

500.00  
 500.00

1,00.00

Sub-Total for C

Running Total of A + B + C

37,686.59

D. Permanent equipment (itemize):

Behavioral modules  
 Open field arena

400.00  
 150.00

Sub-Total for D

550.00

E

5,652.99

Total request

\$43,889.58

E. Indirect costs (15% of A+B+C):

## 15. Estimated future requirements:

	Salaries	Consumable Suppl.	Other Expenses	Permanent Equip.	Indirect Costs	Total
Year 2						
Year 3						

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16. Other sources of financial support:

List financial support from all sources, including own institution, for this and related research projects.

Title of Project	CURRENTLY ACTIVE		Inclusive Dates
	Source (give grant numbers)	Amount	
A Study of EEG Correlates of Cognitive Modes	GRS (NIH)	\$2,500.00	7/1/74-6/30/75

Title of Project	PENDING OR PLANNED		Inclusive Dates
	Source (give grant numbers)	Amount	
Effect of Microwaves on the EEG and Behavior of Animals	BRH-FDA	\$38,000.00	9/1/74-8/31/74

It is understood that the investigator and institutional officers in applying for a grant have read and accept the Council's "Statement of Policy Containing Conditions and Terms Under Which Project Grants Are Made."

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- 1963-65 Undergraduate studies, University of Wisconsin-Madison (Pharmacy, Psychology)
- 1963-65 Research assistantship in physical chemistry (University of Wisconsin-Madison)
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